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Title:	"PROTON GENERATING CATHETERS AND METHODS FOR THEIR USE IN ENHANCING FLUID FLOW THROUGH A VASCULAR SITE OCCUPIED BY A CALCIFIED VASCULAR OCCLUSION"

Sir:

This is an Information Disclosure Statement submitted for the Examiner's consideration. A Form PTO-SB/08A listing the references and copies of the cited references accompany this paper. Applicants would appreciate the Examiner's initialing and returning the form to indicate that the references have been reviewed and made of record.

**All of the references identified herein were disclosed in parent application serial number 10/358,983 filed 2/4/2003 and as such, copies thereof are not included pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.98(d).**

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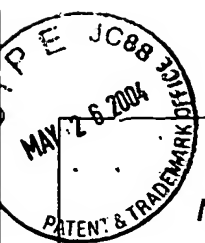
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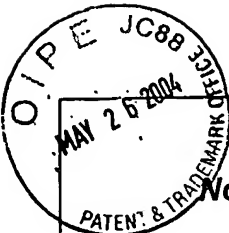
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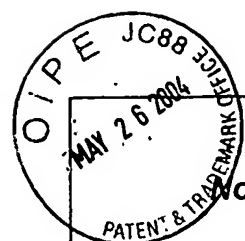
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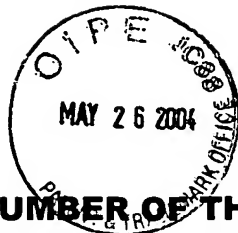
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